

**Annual Average Consumer Price Index Research Series (CPI-U-RS)
Using Current Methods All Items: 1947 to 2014**

Year	CPI-U-RS ¹ index (December 1977 = 100)	Year	CPI-U-RS ¹ index (December 1977 = 100)
1947.....	37.5	1981.....	139.2
1948.....	40.5	1982.....	147.6
1949.....	40.0	1983.....	153.8
1950.....	40.5	1984.....	160.2
1951.....	43.7	1985.....	165.7
1952.....	44.5	1986.....	168.7
1953.....	44.8	1987.....	174.4
1954.....	45.2	1988.....	180.8
1955.....	45.0	1989.....	188.6
1956.....	45.7	1990.....	197.9
1957.....	47.2	1991.....	205.1
1958.....	48.5	1992.....	210.3
1959.....	48.9	1993.....	215.5
1960.....	49.7	1994.....	220.0
1961.....	50.2	1995.....	225.3
1962.....	50.7	1996.....	231.4
1963.....	51.4	1997.....	236.4
1964.....	52.1	1998.....	239.6
1965.....	52.9	1999.....	244.7
1966.....	54.4	2000.....	253.0
1967.....	56.1	2001.....	260.1
1968.....	58.3	2002.....	264.3
1969.....	60.9	2003.....	270.2
1970.....	63.9	2004.....	277.5
1971.....	66.7	2005.....	286.9
1972.....	68.7	2006.....	296.2
1973.....	73.0	2007.....	304.6
1974.....	80.3	2008.....	316.3
1975.....	86.9	2009.....	315.2
1976.....	91.9	2010.....	320.3
1977.....	97.7	2011.....	330.4
1978.....	104.4	2012.....	337.3
1979.....	114.3	2013.....	342.2
1980.....	127.1	2014.....	347.8

¹ The Census Bureau uses the Bureau of Labor Statistics' Consumer Price Index Research Series (CPI-U-RS) for 1977 through 2014. The Census Bureau derived the CPI-U-RS for years before 1977 by applying the 1977 CPI-U-RS-to-CPI-U ratio to the 1947-to-1976 CPI-U.

Note: Data users can compute the percentage changes in prices between earlier years' data and 2014 data by dividing the annual average CPI-U-RS for 2014 by the annual average for the earlier year(s).

For more information on the CPI-U-RS, see <www.bls.gov/cpi/cpiurs.htm>.